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TREASURY SECURITY AUCTION RESULTS BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC DEBT - WASHINGTON DC

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RESULTS OF TREASURY'S AUCTION OF 13-WEEK BILLS

Term:

91-Day Bill

Issue Date:

December 17, 1998

Maturity Date:

March 18, 1999

CUSIP Number:

912795BE0

High Rate: 4.385% Investment Rate1/: 4.494%

Price: 98.892

All noncompetitive and successful competitive bidders were awarded securities at the high rate. All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

Tenders at the high discount rate were allotted 11%.

AMOUNTS TENDERED AND ACCEPTED (in thousands)

Tender Type	Tendered		Accepted	
Competitive Noncompetitive	\$	27,640,499	\$	6,375,699 1,289,378
PUBLIC SUBTOTAL		28,929,877		7,665,077
Foreign Official Refunded		337,521		337,521
SUBTOTAL		29,267,398		8,002,598
Federal Reserve Foreign Official Add-On		3,394,310 67,479		3,394,310
TOTAL	\$	32,729,187	\$	11,464,387

Median rate 4.380%: 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

5% of the amount of accepted competitive 4.340%: tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

Bid-to-Cover Ratio = 28,929,877 / 7,665,077 = 3.77

Equivalent coupon-issue yield.